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1 Upon the Motion dated April 5, 2021 [Docket No. 10497], (the "Motion") of the Honorable 2 John K. Trotter (Ret.), in his capacity as the Trustee of the PG&E Fire Victim Trust appointed 3 pursuant to the Plan (the "Trustee"), and the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to section 105(a) of title 4 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), Section 11.1 of the Plan and Paragraph 78 5 of the Confirmation Order, seeking entry of an order (a) approving the Exchange Transaction 6 Agreement and any Ancillary Agreements appropriate to effect the Exchange Transaction 7 Agreement, and (b) determining that the Exchange Transaction Agreement and the implementation 8 thereof are consistent with the Plan, Confirmation Order, the Trust Documents and the Trustee's 9 power, duties and responsibilities thereunder; and consideration of the Motion and the requested relief being a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); and venue being proper before this 10 11 Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and the Court having found and determined that 12 notice of the Motion as provided to the parties listed therein is reasonable and sufficient, and it 13 appearing that no other or further notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the 14 Motion, the Trotter Declaration and the Reply of Fire Victim Trustee in Response to Objection of 15 Theresa McDonald to Motion Regarding Exchange Transaction in Support of a Grantor Trust Tax 16 Election (the "Reply") submitted in support of the Motion; and this Court having determined that the 17 legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion, the Trotter Declaration and the Reply establish just 18 cause for the relief granted herein; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court, the Motion, 19 the Trotter Declaration, and the Reply, and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, 20

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

- 1. The Motion is hereby granted.
- 2. All objections to the relief requested in the Motion, including the objections raised in the Emergency Pleading: Objection to the Joint Motion of Fire Victim Trustee and Reorganized ///

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¹ All capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.

Debtors Regarding Exchange Transaction in Support of a Grantor Trust Tax Election [Docket No. 10517] filed by Theresa McDonald, are overruled.

- 3. The Exchange Transaction Agreement is authorized and approved, and, subject to the Parties entering into mutually acceptable documentation, the Parties are authorized to execute, perform and implement the actions and transactions contemplated by the Exchange Transaction Agreement and any and all Ancillary Agreements appropriate to effect the Exchange Transaction Agreement.
- 4. The Trustee's execution of and performance under the Exchange Transaction Agreement and the implementation thereof (including any and all Ancillary Agreements) are consistent with (a) the authorization provided to the Trustee under the Plan, Confirmation Order and the Trust Documents, and (b) the power, duties and responsibilities granted to the Trustee under the Plan, Confirmation Order and Trust Documents.
- 5. The relief and authorization granted in this Order, and the execution of and performance under the Exchange Transaction Agreement and any and all Ancillary Agreements, shall not in any way affect, modify or alter the Plan, Confirmation Order or the validity or enforceability of the Channeling Injunction (as such term is defined in the Plan and Confirmation Order) contained in the Plan and Confirmation Order.
- 6. For the avoidance of doubt, the New Shares issued in connection with the Exchange Transaction Agreement shall constitute New Holdco Common Stock (as defined in the Plan) for all purposes of the State Agency Settlement [Docket No. 7399-2] including, but not limited to, the definition of Excess Monetization (as defined in the State Agency Settlement).
- 7. A copy of the fully executed Exchange Transaction Agreement shall be filed with the Court and posted to the Fire Victim Trust Website.

END OF ORDER

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